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THE SOUTHERNER'S DAUGHTER.

BY HENRY F. HARRINGTON]

CHAPTER I.

OF THE HERO.

Old Mr. Bethune died in March, of the year '35. Not many probably can recall him to mind, even of those who dwelt in his own city—New York, for he was considerably infirm during the latter portion of his days, and seldom ventured abroad, except in his carriage for an airing. But many, especially of those accustomed to promenade Broadway, will require no jogging of their memories to enable them to summon up the form and features of George, his only son, which were regularly 'sported,' leisurely & aristocratically, along the 'trottoir' therefore almost every pleasant day in comfortable weather, for the two or three preceding years. For to the old gentleman, this, his only son, stood only in the light of the legal inheritor of the large property which he had accumulated. He was therefore extremely anxious about his health, lest he should anticipate himself, in 'shuffling off this mortal coil,' and so destroy this interesting relation, and compel him to fashion a new and novel will, and alienate the estate, but as an immortal being—for whose mental and spiritual advancement, he, as the author of that being, was solemnly responsible—he was utterly indifferent to him. He seemed to consider his production, in this regard, as an accidental event, by which his own free agency was not in the slightest degree compromised. He kept him regularly at school, indeed; and from school, transferred him, when his attainments authorized the measure, to college; but from the day when he entered school, a little fellow in his pantalettes, to the day when he departed from college, a young man of nineteen, he did not, in a single instance, as far as George's memory served him, make an inquiry respecting his advancement.—His education was simply a matter of course; it was customary to send boys to school and college, and therefore George was sent. Besides, there seemed no other respectable fashion to dispose of him until that happy period when he would be able to think and act for himself.

Had there been, therefore, a deficiency of mental power or of ambition in him, he would have been utterly worthless; for to his mother—from whom he inherited the loftier qualities of his character—his birth was the price of life, and his remaining parent being, as has been shown, perfectly careless whether he grew up wise or foolish, virtuous or depraved, there were none else to interest themselves for his welfare. But, fortunately, he was lacking in neither of these fundamental requisites; and, at both school and college, applied himself to a degree which enabled him to maintain a respectable rank among his mates, and to store a tenacious memory with something transcending the mere germs of knowledge.

From college, he was transferred, or rather he transferred himself—for he was free to exercise his own agency, to the office of an eminent counsellor and attorney: and although the company into which he had gradually fallen, as he progressed nearer & nearer to the fulness of man's estate, and to which his large expectations constituted his satisfactory introduction, was already weaving around his ambition and self-respect & seducing him from duty; yet he contrived, by the aid of his superior powers and quick apprehension, to engraft upon his mind, by intermitted and questionable diligence, as broad an insight into the arcana of legal knowledge as might demand from the majority the exercise deep and constant attention. But he became more and more indifferent to his honor and advancement as the customary period of legal study approximated to its close; and when admitted to the bar, he surrendered himself entirely to association with his idle companions. Dress, equipage, and gallantry, constituted the highest resources of his pleasures, to the exclusion of all that is noble and elevating in character and occupation; and he was, as I have already remarked, to be seen almost every pleasant day of fine weather, promenading leisurely along Broadway, a tall handsome young man, with dark, glossy hair, regular features, a speaking eye, whiskers and imperial, nicely trimmed, and with the perfection of dress and delicacy of swagger that characterize that worthless, despicable class in a populous community—the dandies.

Old Mr. Bethune died in March, of the year '35, as I have already said, when George had been some two years in the full current of his ignominious career, & was fast becoming wedded to disgrace. The affairs of the old gentleman were in the best possible condition, in anticipation of his departure, and rendered the duties of the executors of the estate scarcely more than nominal. George, therefore, being placed under very slight constraint, was enabled to enter at once upon the enjoyment of the bulk of the property, and towards the close of June prepared to while away the heat of the dog-days by participation in the gaieties of Saratoga.

CHAPTER II.

OF THE HEROINE.

He was earlier at the boat, on a most delicious morning; for he had an eye to the glories of nature, and was not content, by passage in the night, to do despite to the magnificence of the Hudson. having dismissed his coachman said—in the drawling voice and faint-away manner, which now distinguished him, and which caused the black porters, while they obeyed him, to wink knowingly at each other, and curl their lips in the smile of very scorn—attended to the security of his luggage, he sauntered to the gangway, and exhausted the few moments remaining before the starting of the boat, in scrutinizing the countenances of the ladies as they came on board. Some were plain—some worse than plain—some passable—and some handsome, and worthy of an effort for their acquaintance, & a trifling flirtation to relieve the tedium of the passage. But when the bell had already ceased to toll? and the command had been given to cast off—amidst all the ordinary confusion of the parting of friends, shaking of hands, shouts of officers, and clatter of news-boys, anxious to effect the sale of a few more papers—a carriage drove hastily up, and the first to descend, when the door was opened, was a tall, commanding, young, eminently beautiful girl.

George had by this time ascended to the upper deck, and happening to be in a position directly opposite to the gangway, had an opportunity to scan her intently. The circumstances in which she was placed assisted to attract his more earnest attention and to excite in his mind a deeper interest. In her anxiety lest she had arrived at too late a moment, she sprung so hastily from the carriage, with her eyes fixed inquiringly on the boat, that her hat came in contact with the roof of the vehicle, and being thrown back upon her neck, disclosed more fully the striking characteristics of her countenance, and the graceful contour of her head. her hair was of a dark glossy brown, disposed most becomingly, in the Maddonna style over a high and well shaped forehead, and her complexion—a delightful medium between the blonde and the brunette—was sweetly clear and transparent, as the mantling blush at the trifling accident to her attire, rendered it at once apparent. Convinced by the pause in the preparations for departure that she was not too late, she turned to the carriage, and smiling upon an elderly gentleman, who had not yet risen from his seat, extended her arms to assist him to descend. Tenderly receiving the proffered aid, and trusting confidingly to it alone, to the exclusion of that which the gallantry of several gentlemen standing near impelled them to offer in the lady's behalf, the stranger, evidently a suffering invalid, slowly left the carriage, and sought the boat. Once again, the stir and confusion of departure were resumed and in a few moments the gallant steamer, glorious champion over winds and tides, was stemming the current of the noble river.

The general appearance of the young lady had exercised a peculiar fascination over Bethune; but it was her smile upon the elderly gentleman which effected a perfect master of his feelings. he had caught but a partial view of it, it is true, but he saw enough to mark in it a surpassing gentleness and tenderness. It was not long, as may be anticipated, before he carelessly sought the vicinity of the twain, and endeavored, as often as politeness permitted—when the attention of the lady was occupied—to complete that analysis of her features and appearance, which she had already so delightfully commenced.—he noticed now how much of expression was centred in the delicate arch of her brow—how soft was the melting lustre of her dark blue eye—and how surpassingly enticing the sweetness of the smile that had completed his enthralment. One of the first impressions conveyed by her general appearance, was that of retiring and gentle dignity—not assumed but inwrought—so identical with herself as to win the heart, while it commanded the respect of the beholder.

It is a dandy's prerogative to flirt – in his own estimation, at the least;—and had Bethune selected the enchanting stranger only as a party to a divertisement of this character, he would have experienced no hesitation in boldly scanning her appearance, perhaps with the assistance of an impudent eye-glass; and in thrusting himself upon her acquaintance with the utmost nonchalance. But now that he was, for the first time, the involuntary prey of that strange, thrilling, all-pervading, and irresistable sympathy, the glorious ordination of exalted wisdom—which, asking no questions, and consulting no convenience or predispositions, enthralls the heart of the sexes, the one to the other, by a chain, invisible yet adamantine, that the reason deplores, yet the heart will hug to its bosom he was robbed of all boldness & resolution. Under ordinary circumstances, he would have delighted to catch her eye return her glance and convey, as readily and perfectly as possible, an impression of the interest she excited; but now his glance was turned upon the ground when she happened to direct her own towards him; and—if it can be believed of such a one as he—he felt at the time a kind of disagreeable sensation, as though a blush were stealing over his face. But as the bird, entranced by the serpent's gaze, flutters round and round, yet cannot escape the spell, so he was drawn to her by a kind of fascination; he had no thoughts but for her—no eyes but for her. He would wander about the boat, every now and then, and look out upon the scenery, but soon found himself as often back again, by the cabin door, near which the enchantress was sitting. What would have been the sneers of his companions in the city, had they known how he was situated, as he floated up the Hudson!

No opportunity offered itself, such as he dared to avail himself of, to break the ice of silence and cold restraint, until far into the forenoon; when the elderly gentleman, in attempting to rise and change his position—for he was sorely afflicted by that unromantic scourge, chronic rheumatism—came in contact with a bench, and would have fallen headlong, had not young Bethune sprung forward and sustained him. The young lady uttered the words, 'O, father!' in a smothered shriek and clasped her hands as she saw him falling, and her confusion and embarrassment, when her tremor had subsided, added a new charm to her appearance and expression. The father thanked Bethune very heartily, and availed himself of his proffered assistance in composing himself on a settee to sleep. Bethune brought cushions, and stood on one side of him, while on the other, the lady, in most contagious proximity, adjusted them to his comfort.

Here was a most ecstatic opening to conversation. They sat down a little forward of the invalid, and from talking of his ailments, went to talking of every thing and anything. As their earnest voices came, now and then, upon his ear, the father raised his head on his elbow and scrutinized Bethune from head to foot, concluding his survey with an expressive frown, by no means a conclusive index that it had been gratifying. But his position was easy—drowsiness assailed him—he composed himself to sleep, and his regular breathing soon betrayed his calm oblivion. So the young people talked on; Bethune was familiar, with the scenery—the lady was a perfect stranger to it, and full of enthusiasm. This formed one avenue to discourse; and intermingled with it, by perfectly satisfactory transitions, queries, and replies about each other, which elucidated sundry particulars, to complete satisfaction of both. So it went all up the hudson; and when they arrived at Albany, she perfectly understood that he was known by the title of George Bethune, Esq, a young man of wealth and good connections; and he as perfectly understood that they rejoiced in the name of Margaret, that her father Silas Incleton, Esq, was a Georgia planter, and that they were travelling for his health, and knew too, perfectly well, that they should meet again on the morrow in Saratoga.

CHAPTER III.

GOOD ADVICE STRONGLY ADMINISTERED.

So meet at Saratoga, they did; and amidst the round of gaieties which distinguished that fashionable watering place in fashionable season, they were often together, progressing with every interview crisis when the heart's treasure of love becomes too teeming to be longer restrained. Love is romantic; its first impulses, of all the precious sensations vouchsafed to us in this world, are the most intoxicatingly delicious; and none will laugh at them and the description of them, except the lone and pitiable, who have never felt them, or those more lonely and pitiable who have felt them but to be blighted and agonized by the sting of disappointment they have left behind, and some in addition, of the hoary heads, whose hearts time has seared, not mellowed, as it should, and who laugh at the gushing emotions of youth, and their own youthful days, because, forsooth, the canker of wordliness has expelled them from their memories, or exhibits their buoyant earnestness in a distorting mirror. Yes, love constitutes the very essence of the soul's romance, and has little in itself that hath affinity to the dull common-places of the world. But the cold and chilling ice of those common places will thrust itself in, with its torpifying influences, to the fairest and most glowing of the spirit's ideal paradises.

[To be continued.]

WASHINGTON CITY.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1843.

MISFORTUNE.

Alas! alas! We can find no words to expreess our grief at the unpleasant disappointment which awaits our readers in the present number of the Huntress. But we must face them, with the best apology we are able to make; and the truth (always the best) must come! viz:—the conclusion of that interesting tale, "*A Leaf from my Log-Book*," *by Robert L. Wade*, is stolen, by some ruthless hand, or some pitiless mouse or rat! has laid violent paws upon it. It was *not* lost, having been carefully deposited in a basket by our own hand, which, for that identical purpose, always hangs against the wall in our sanctum. We, therefore, hope not only pardon, but sympathy. Had it been an earthquake we could not say more.

This is the second accident of the kind since the commencement of the paper. In future we shall be upon our guard. Had we any recollection of the conclusion we should have added a few explanatory words.

We found it in the "Skowhegan Clarion," credited to the Philadelphia Gazette.

"*John Quincy Adams* has consented to deliver an address on the occasion of laying the corner stone of the new Observatory, (Cincinnati) in November next."—(*Keosauq Dem.*

We are sorry to hear this, for his own sake. We have a few learned men left in the country yet, and but one John Q. Adams! Therefore we hope his country will not insist upon his visit, however gratifying it might be to the citizens of Ohio.

The season will be too far advanced for a peron of his years, though a stout, healthy man—to venture so far from home. The danger is 1st, the distance; 2d, the dampness of the atmosphere, peculiar to the West; and 3d, the sudden storms common to the mountainous region at that season—through which he must pass from the Atlantic country to the West.

These sudden storms have cost many a valuable life; and we trust Mr. A. will not risk a life so dear to his country. It is too much to expect.

A MYSTERY.

Sometime about the end of the last session of Congress we received a note, of which the following is a copy:

"*Mrs. Royall:* Enclosed you will receive one dollar. Please send your paper to Richard H. Gantt, Esq., Lower Marlboro,' Calvert County. Maryland, George T. Clagett, Esq., Piscataway, Prince George's County, Maryland. Mrs. Royall, please to send the 'Huntress' to each."

We sent the papers accordingly, and a short time since we received the subjoined note:

Lower Marlboro', Calvert Co., Md.,
August 23, 1843.

To Mrs. Anne Royall, Editress of the Huntress:

Your paper sent to this office to the address of Mr. Richard Gantt, Esq., he has refused to take it out of the office. It is expedient that you stop sending it.

Very respectfully, yours,
JAMES HUMPHREYS, P. M.

"He has refused to take it out of the office." This—formerly an esteemed friend of ours—a gentlemanly, high minded man, struck us with surprise, and induces the belief that he did not order the paper at all. Had he done so, he would either have stopped sooner, or have sent the other fifty cents. We trust the Postmaster is innocent.

We still continue Mr. Clagett's paper, and beg him, for his own sake, to send the change when he stops.

It is rather suspicious that the moment we asked a remittance, the Postmaster should write, "Mr. G. refused," &c. We shall contrive, however, that this remark shall meet his eye.

MAILS.

It is seldom we complain of the mails, and particularly at this season of floods and politics, and merely observe that neither *Pic* nor *Star* has come to hand in two weeks, nor the Philadelphia Museum for a week—a great drawback on our pleasure.

Lo! while we are writing the Museum and Star have arrived.

☞THE CORRESPONDENT.☜

It is time for another letter from the Sun's Washington correspondent about another break in the canal. The late flood will form a fine excuse.

The Editor of the Alexandria Gazette rather shrinks from notifying the public of these disasters—he is ashamed. Well he may.

What sort of men can they be who form the Board of the canal and aqueduct? Are they honest? are they competent? If there be *one* such left in the Board,* if he has a conscience he will come forward and speak for himself, and tell the people, once for all, what has become of three hundred thousand dollars taken from their pockets without their leave, by *Congress*, and bestowed upon Alexandria. Who has used this money? How has it been expended?

As we see certain symptoms of another application, and being one of the sovereign people, in whose name, and for ourself, who have been compelled by our Congress (Lords and Commons—odd enough) to pay our quota of this money, it is no more than fair they should know what has become of it—if for no other purpose than to show upon what grounds further and other sums of money, should it be asked for, may be granted.

We have formerly stated, from information which has never been denied that a man by the name of *Roach*—a foreigner, (none the wore for that,) has handled the most of the $300,000; that he has, moreover, the Board largely in debt, and that between the cash system and the credit system, he owns some of the finest farms in the District—how many we cannot ascertain, and one of the most splendid mansions — rides in his carriage, &c.; all acquired since his Boss-ship. That he touched a liberal share of the first $100,000, which was used up every dollar by them, all in the way of perquisites, getting ready for business. &c. Meantime we had our eye upon them. Watching for another bill for an additional sum for the same, when, behold! a bill was smuggled through Congress for two hundred thousand dollars to *extend* the Chesapeake and Ohio canal.

And now, since these heartless men discover how easily they can bleed the people, and wheedle Congress—and the MONEY they receive only whetting their avarice—they resolved (as it is supposed) to execute the work in a manner that would prolong the accomplishment. Thus, what was done in summer caved in the next winter, and the winter, and the acqueduct was sure to break away from the main land.

Meantime the pay of Mr. *Roach*, and his hundred hands and twelve carts, &c., Do. Board and Commissioners were going on, and WILL GO ON FOR EVER while Congress gives them money. Therefore, if there be an honest man in the Board, as we said before, let him come forward and give a true account of it. Truth is a great mitigation of faults.

Ah! But Mrs. R., "we are all *Whigs!* our *Board* and our sometime *President* are whig." True; and the three hundred thousand dollars was bestowed too by a *Democratic Congress*. Therefore, as we have always contended, there is nothing in names when money is to be filched from the pockets of the people—though there may be a few honorable exceptions—there is but one party, and this one party is the self-interest party, always opposed to the interest of the people.

"But Congress gave the city of Washington two million of dollars—the Holland loan." "Why should we not have a snack too?" So they argued. Congress had no *right* to do either, and in doing so, that is appropriating money, as free gifts—and such vast sums too—without saying by your leave to the people, who are in truth a hundred to one the poorest,—☞ they acted unjustly to others, to whom of right this money belonged. They ought to have paid their just debts to the really poor, and indigent—we mean the aged widow, the war-worn soldier, and the friendless orphan of the Revolutionary war. No. The Senate, who voted for these gratuitous sums, plead the act of *Imitation* against those sufferers!!! Can heaven prosper such doings?

We should not have extended this article so long, but for certain indications that those public plunderers will make another applicat on to Congress, several of whom have already amassed independent fortunes by the canal and aqueduct.

As for the canal and aqueduct, it is all a sham.

The Belligerents.

We believe the war party have agreed upon an armistice, till breaches are repaired, ranks filled up, troops recruited and the outworks strengthened.

Each party dread the common enemy, as they call the people and *their* man, Mr Clay, and not only dread, but hate each other to the core! Strange! These are neither Democrats nor Christians.

But they do all this for the good of the ☞people.☜ Mighty zealous, indeed.

☞"In speaking of the great number of frauds recently committed, the Boston Mail says:—'Really this is the age of rascality *par excellence*. A *money mania* has seized the nation. Satan has set all his legions at work, and a beautiful exhibition they are making of man's moral Eden."

He might have added, and the age of missionaries too.

When did the Mail-man see the home Mission Board, and foreign Board (just dismissed) in greater prosperity and see crime advancing side by side, nay, in their midst.

All their teachings and preachings, are *money*. Money is the alpha and omega of their creed.

Christianity, Jew, nor Turk, nor Hindoo, nor any religion we read of, ever clung to their tenets more tenaciously. Only see the catalogue of robberies, forgeries, and thefts, they overspread the land; therefore, this is truly named, 'money religion.'

Here is just a small sketch.

☞"*Monstrous.*—A few nights since some fiend incarnate entered the field of Mr. *Benjamin Middlekauff*, near this place, and with a knife so severely cut four or five of his cows that two of them, whose bowels were ripped out, were found dead the next morning. The man who could perpetrate an act so revolting, heinous and hellish as this one, is capable of committing the blackest crime on record, and whom it were charitable to call a villian. We earnestly hope that he may be discovered, and punished according to our ideas of the enormity of his crime. Such a scoundrel has no business above ground. —*Hagerstown Herald.*

"*Daring Robbery.*—On Tuesday night last, says the Williamsport Banner, the store of Mr. Charles Embry, situated in the most public part of our town, was broken open. The robbers forced an entrance through a back door. Their object it appears, was money, in which they were partially disappointed. They rifled the drawer of the small change left in it, amounting to four or five dollars. Mr. E. we understand has missed none of his goods.—*ib.*

"A revolting murder was perpetrated in the vicinity of Maysville, Kentucky, on the 28th ult. A quarrel arose between a Mr. John Barnett and his son James Barnett, a young man about 22 years of age. The latter, who was intoxicated, became frantic, seized an axe which stood close by, and struck his father several times on the head, mangling him in the most cruel manner. The old man died the next day."

☞How they do spread the gospel.☜

Richmond Star.

Hear what the Star says:

"A Good One.—The Spirit of the Times says, it is urged by the Ledger, that if Dixon H. Lewis ("the fat man,") be elevated to the Speaker-ship of the House of Representatives at Washington, he would "more than *fill* the chair."—So much the better. They need a man of all possible *sternness* to tranquilize the deliberation of that noisy assemblage."—*Balt. Sun.*

We hope he will!—if elected, put good men on the widow's committee, and such such as we had last year.

Transpormation of *Sugar* into Fat. A corresponden' of the Baton Rouge Gazette, of the 19th instant, says:

Some six or eight months since, I perceived a communication in the Courier copied from a French paper, informing the cultivators of sugar that they need not fear an excess of cultivation, as he had discovered the means of obtaining a brilliant light from sugar in combination with other substances of a cheap nature.

A few days since my attention was arrested by reading an article on the French side of the Courier with the captain at the head of this article, copied from the Moniteur Industriel.

It appears that M. Pelouse, assisted by M. Gelis have completely succeeded in obtaining *butyric ac d* in enormous quantities, in a state of perfect purity, by a simple transformation of common sugar. This was obtained by developing in this substance an alcoholic fermentation by the contact of animal matter A dissolution of sugar was left to itself during a few weeks at a temperature of 25 to 30 deg., with a small quantity of careous substance. and pulverized chalk.

The *caseum* acting as a ferment, the sugar was decomposed, disengaging by drogen and carbonic acid, a formation of water and butyric acid took place, which combining with the black chalk, gave a liquor containing butyrate of lime. These salts being decomposed by chlorhdric acid, abandoned the fat, which was the first product of distillation of the liquor.

The butyric acid was submitted to a profound examination. The discoverers assure themselves that the acid produced by the fermentation of the sugar was identically the same as that produced from butter. The composition of this substance was then examined, its properties and chemical relations. The result of these researches was entirely satisfactory.

It is but a short time since the theory of separating oleine and stearine has been reduced to practice, by making lard oil from the oleine of hogs and candles from the stearine, which has given rise to the opinion, that while the discovery will prove of immense benefit to the western states. it will ultimately cause great injury to that portion of our merchantile marine employed in the whale fishery.

It is impossible at present to foretell the consequences or revolutions that will take place in commerce from the discovery of the transformation of sugar into fat.

I would suggest to the chemists of Louisiana, amongst whom Mr. Avequin very deservedly ranks high, to devote their attention and endeavors to obtain the transformation of molasses into fat. If their efforts should be crowned with success, an immediate rise in the price of molasses would be the consequence and the different cities of the Union could be furnished at a cheap rate with an abundant material for the preparation of illuminating gas.

It is needless to enumerate the advantages that will result from such a transformation—they can be perceived by all.—*St. Francis. La Chron.*

Brougham says — If a child is neglected until six years of age, no subsequent education can recover it. If to this age he is in ignorance and dissipation, in baseness and brutality, in that vacancy of mind which such habits create, it is vain to try to reclaim it by teaching it reading and writing. You may teach it what you choose *afterwards* but if you have not prevented the *formatinn of bad habits*, you will teach in vain. With children under the age of six years, learning—school learning—should not be the chief consideration, but the formation of mortal principal."

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*These were honest men, but money doth wonders.

POETRY.

THE ROSE OF THE VALE.

Come stroll with me adown the dale,
Ere evening spreads her dewy veil,
And list the gentle anthem rise
That tuneful nature gives the skies.
Far down the dell in copse-wood green
The honest farmer's cot is seen.
There sits the husband smiling calm,
With sun burnt cheek on callous palm.
While round his knee the children press
Each eager for the first caress.
Near by, the partner of his weal;
Sits spinning at the whirling wheel;
And lovely Jennie, fast sixteen
The brightest flower those hills between
Has left the thirsty threaded reel
To spread the welcome evening meal
Her bright blue eye is clear as heaven,
Her golden hair as rich as even.
Her cheeks display a healthful glow,
Her red round lips when parting, show,
Within, the pearls as white as snow
Her voice is gentle as the fly
Or mildest bird in mildest May;
Her form—ah, how describe her form?
The coldest breast of man must warm;
And heart of ardent youth fall free
Must throb when Jennie treads the lea,
'Tis not her face and form alone,
Nor yet her voice of sweetest tone
Her beauty shows but these combined,
Compose a casket for her mind.
Whoe'er that precious gem would see,
Will find a kindly word the key.

SPARE MINUTES.

Spare minutes are the gold dust of time, and Young was writing a true, as well as a striking line, when he affirmed that—'Saturn made the mountain, and moments, made the year.' Of all the portions of our life, the spare minutes are the most fruitful in good or evil. They are gaps through which temptations find the easiest access to the garden.

A slight shock of an earthquake was felt at Somerville, Tennessee, on the morning of the 9th ult.

Selling Potatoes—A farmer, driving a yoke of tractious oxen before a load of potatoes, proposed to sell his produce in this manner,:—"Whoa, hush! I say mister, you don't want to buy any o' my—whoa, hush!—taters, duz ye?' "Suppose we do, what's the price?' "Well they ought to be worth—whoa, hush!—two and six hadn't they?' "That isn't far out of the way; what do you say in ready cash?' "Why seeing it's you, I'll put them at—whoa, hush!—two shillins, I guess,' 'You hav'nt a bad pair of cattle.' "Crotch all bedlam! did ye ever!—whoa hush!—what in tophet has got into ye?' "High feed is all the difficulty.," "Why now, look here, all under the light of the canopy they get to eat is—whoa hush!—oat straw, and that ain,t more'n half thrashed. But I guess I'll have to—hush!—go, for the tarnal varmints won't—whoa, hush!I stand, no how—Good day.'

A story is told of a preacher who always borrowed a five dollar bill on saturday night, and returned the identical bill on the Monday following. He was asked by his friend the reason why he borrowed and invariably returned the same bill. My dear sir,' said he, "I can preach a great deal better when I have in my possession a little worldly independence.

Procrastination has been called a thief—the thief of time. I wish it were no worse than a thief. It is a murderer, and that which it kills is not time merely, but the immortal soul.

A parent who sends his son into the world uneducated, and without skill in any art or science, does as great injury to mankind, as to his own family. he defraud the community of a useful citizen. and bequeaths to us a nuisance.

I do not admire man says Pascal who possesses one virtue in all its perfection if he does not at the same time evince the opposite virtue in an equal degree, such as was Epaminondas, who, to extreme valour joined the utmost kindness and benignity:

No man or woman, whatever may be his or her vocation, can be a desirable companion, or have any sufficient excuse, who does not keep his or her teeth and finger nails clean. These are unerring tests of refinement and good breeding.

The humble man requests a favor as though he were unworthy to receive it: but the proud man asks for a favor in the same tone as if he were granting one.

"I'll make you run if you touch me," as the fire said to the butter.

The last invention is performed loco foco matches for the ladies toilet:

PRIVATE EDUCATION.

TWENTY years have elapsed since I commenced the instruction of youth, and I cannot but feel grateful for the patronage which has been extended to me during that period. The great pleasure which it gives me to implant the seeds of virtue and knowledge, renders this one of the most delightful periods of my life.

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